

8th Grade

Main Rangefinder 3

It is important that you explain and show how you solved the problems on this assessment. If you use a calculator, show how you set up the math.

- 1 Manuel, Sam and five of their friends are going to order pizza for \$4.99 plus \$0.75 per topping.

Effective problem-solving strategies (all)

- a. Find the cost of each pizza they ordered and fill in the appropriate boxes in the chart below. Do not include sales tax.

| Toppings | Pizza 1 | Pizza 2 | Pizza 3 | Pizza 4 | Pizza 5 |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Olives | | | | | X |
| Mushrooms | | | | | X |
| Pineapple | | | | X | |
| Sausage | | X | | | X |
| Pepperoni | | X | X | | X |
| Canadian Bacon | | X | | X | X |
| Extra Cheese | X | | | | X |
| Pizza Cost - without tax | 5.74 | 7.24 | 5.74 | 6.49 | \$9.49 |

X = topping was ordered

- b. What is the **total** cost of the five pizzas, including a 5% sales tax? Show how you found your answer.

Limited use of symbols and communication skills

The five boys will have to pay \$36.49 for their pizzas.
 34.70 total cost without tax
 $+ 1.79$ sales tax
 36.49 total cost with tax

- c. Each pizza has 8 slices. Sam plans to eat two slices from each pizza. What fraction of all the pizzas does he plan to eat? What percent is this? Show or explain how you found your answer.

$$\frac{10}{40} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Sam will eat $\frac{1}{4}$ of all five pizzas.

Adequate solutions and processes

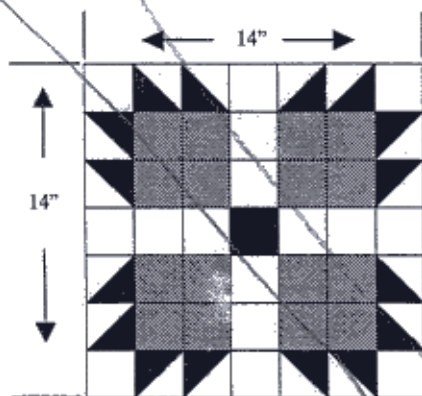
- d. Each person pays for his share of the total cost based on the amount of pizza he eats. How much should Sam pay? Show or explain how you found your answer.

$$\begin{array}{r} 36.49 \\ \times .25 \\ \hline 9.11 \end{array}$$

Sam will have to pay \$9.11 for the pizza he ate.

Read problems 2, 3, 4 and 5 on the next few pages. Select three problems to answer. Answer ALL of the parts of the three problems you select to answer. Cross out the one problem that you do not choose to answer.

- 2 The quilt block pictured below is called a "Bear's Paw." It is made by sewing together squares and triangles. Some pieces are black, while others are white or gray. Use the block to answer the questions.



- a. If the completed "Bear's Paw" block is 14 inches by 14 inches, what is the area that is shaded black? Show or explain how you found your answer.
- b. What fraction of the total "Bear's Paw" block is shaded black? Show or explain how you found your answer.
- c. Juanita needs to cut $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch by $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch squares from a piece of black material that is 44 inches wide and 36 inches long. What is the maximum number of squares she can cut from this piece of material? Show or explain how you found your answer.

- 3 Students were surveyed to find out how many owned.

Understanding
of situations

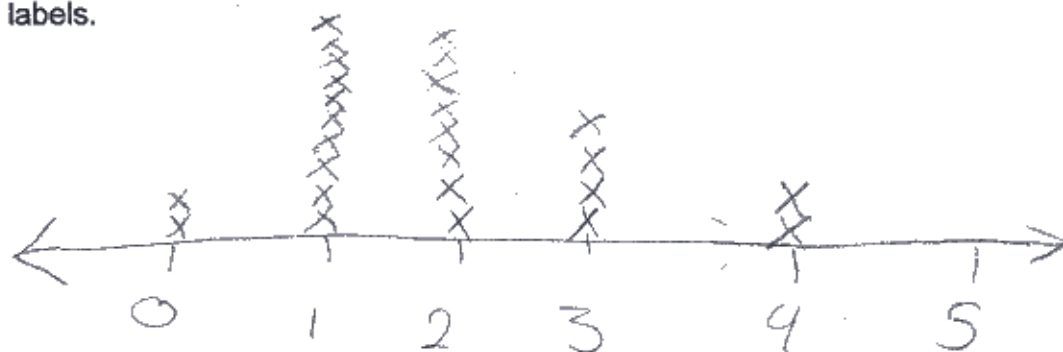
data to complete the frequency table.

PETS PER FAMILY

3, 1, 2, 1, 4, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 0, 3, 1, 2, 2, 3, 2, 2, 4, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 3

| Frequency Table for Pets per Family | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| Pets per Family | Tally | Frequency |
| 0 | | 2 |
| 1 | | 10 |
| 2 | | 8 |
| 3 | | 4 |
| 4 | | 2 |
| 5 | | 0 |

- b. Graph or plot this data in the space provided below. Be sure to include appropriate identifying labels.



- c. How many families have 2 or more pets? Show or explain how you found your answer.

8 - 2 pets per family
4 - 3 pets per family
+ 2 - 4 pet per family
16 families have two or more pets per family.

Limited
communication
skills
(lack of graph
labels)

Well-defined
structure

What is the mean number of pets per family? What is the mode? Show or explain how you found your answer.

mean - 1.083
mode - 1

0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3 3 3
+ 4 + 4 = 24

$$\frac{24}{22} = 1.08\bar{3}$$

Occasional
computational or
surface errors

- 4 Ron, Leora and Susan all work at the same restaurant. They all receive the same wages but Ron receives as many tips they receive. The wages are based on the number of hours they work.

Limited mathematical vocabulary

Limited use of symbols and communication skills

- a. If Ron's hourly wage is \$5.00 and Leora's wage is \$11.00 per hour, what is Susan's wage? Show or explain how you found your answer.

Ron:

Leora:

Susan:

$$5 + 11 = 16$$

Ron's Wages
Per hour

$$16 + 5 = 21$$

Leora's Wages
Per hour

$$10 + 2 \times 11 = 32$$

Susan's Wages
Per hour

- b. If Leora's hourly wage is \$8.00, what are Ron's and Susan's wages? Show or explain how you found your answer.

Ron would have \$13 per hour and Susan would have \$6 per hour.

$$8 + 5 = 13$$

$$8 \times 2 - 10 = 6$$

- c. If, in one week, Ron worked for 32 hours and got \$56.25 in tips, how much did he earn? Show or explain how you found your answer.

$$\begin{array}{r} 32 \text{ hours worked} \\ \times 1.3 \text{ wages per hour} \\ \hline 41.6 \text{ total pay} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 41.600 \text{ total pay} \\ + 56.25 \text{ tips} \\ \hline 472.25 \text{ earned money} \end{array}$$

Ron will get \$472.25 for working 32 hours and getting \$56.25 of tips.

- 5 Roger works for the Department of Fish and Game. To discover how healthy a pond is, he counts the number of fish in the pond. He asked his son Mark to help him.

Appropriate processes accurately completed

Effective use of symbols and communication skills

- a. In the first capture, Roger caught 8 trout, 6 bass and 3 catfish. They tagged and released the fish. The second time, he caught 17 fish, 5 of which had tags. About how many fish are in the pond? Show or explain how you found your answer.

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \text{ trout} \quad 55 \\ 6 \text{ bass} \quad + 12 \\ + 3 \text{ catfish} \quad 67 \\ \hline 17 \text{ tagged fish} \end{array}$$

There are about 67 fish altogether in the pond.

- b. If you go fishing in this pond, what is the probability that the first fish you catch will be a trout? Show or explain how you found your answer.

6/67 or 90/67 would be the probability

- c. How many of each type of fish are there likely to be in the pond if the ratio of trout to bass to catfish in the pond is the same as in the first capture? Show or explain how you found your answer.

$$40/67 - \text{trout Ratio}$$

$$18/67 - \text{Bass Ratio}$$

$$9/67 - \text{Catfish Ratio}$$

Effective mathematical vocabulary

Adaptable processes